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SUBJECT: FOREIGN STUDENT PROGRAM: LE VAN BACH

1. BACH'S FACULTY ADVISOR HAS CONTACTED DEPARTMENT DIRECTLY PLEADING BACH'S CASE FOR PHD. BACH CAN OBTAIN MA AT END OF SECOND YEAR OR PHD AT END OF THIRD. COMPLETION OF DISSERTATION DOUBTFUL FOR PHD IN THREE HOWEVER.
2. FACULTY ADVISOR CONSIDERS BACH ONE OF THE BEST STUDENTS IN PROGRAM. HE HAS SUGGESTED THAT TO MINIMIZE TIME IN U.S. BACH COULD COMPLETE PHD IN VIETNAM.
3. IIE HAS CAUTIONED DEPARTMENT THAT BACH'S PLANS MAY EXTEND BEYOND THREE YEARS, THAT HAVING DISSERTATION COMPLETED IN VIETNAM MAY NOT BE PRACTICAL AND WOULD CAUSE DELAYS.
4. DEPARTMENT WILLING TO GRANT BACH'S REQUEST WITH CAVEAT THAT BACH WILL RECEIVE US SUPPORT FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 74-75 ONLY AND THAT UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT DAVIS SHOULD PROVIDE SUPPORT FOR ANY FURTHER PERIOD OF TIME. ALSO, DEPARTMENT WOULD INSIST THAT ASSURANCES BE GIVEN THAT RESEARCH MATERIAL WOULD BE AVAILABLE FOR DISSERTATION IN VIETNAM.

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5. DEPARTMENT REQUEST'S POST ADVICE RE BACH. POST
SHOULD CONSULT BACH'S UNIVERSITY. ALSO PLEASE DETERMINE
WHETHER MA OR PHD PREFERABLE IN BACH'S FIELD. RUSH

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